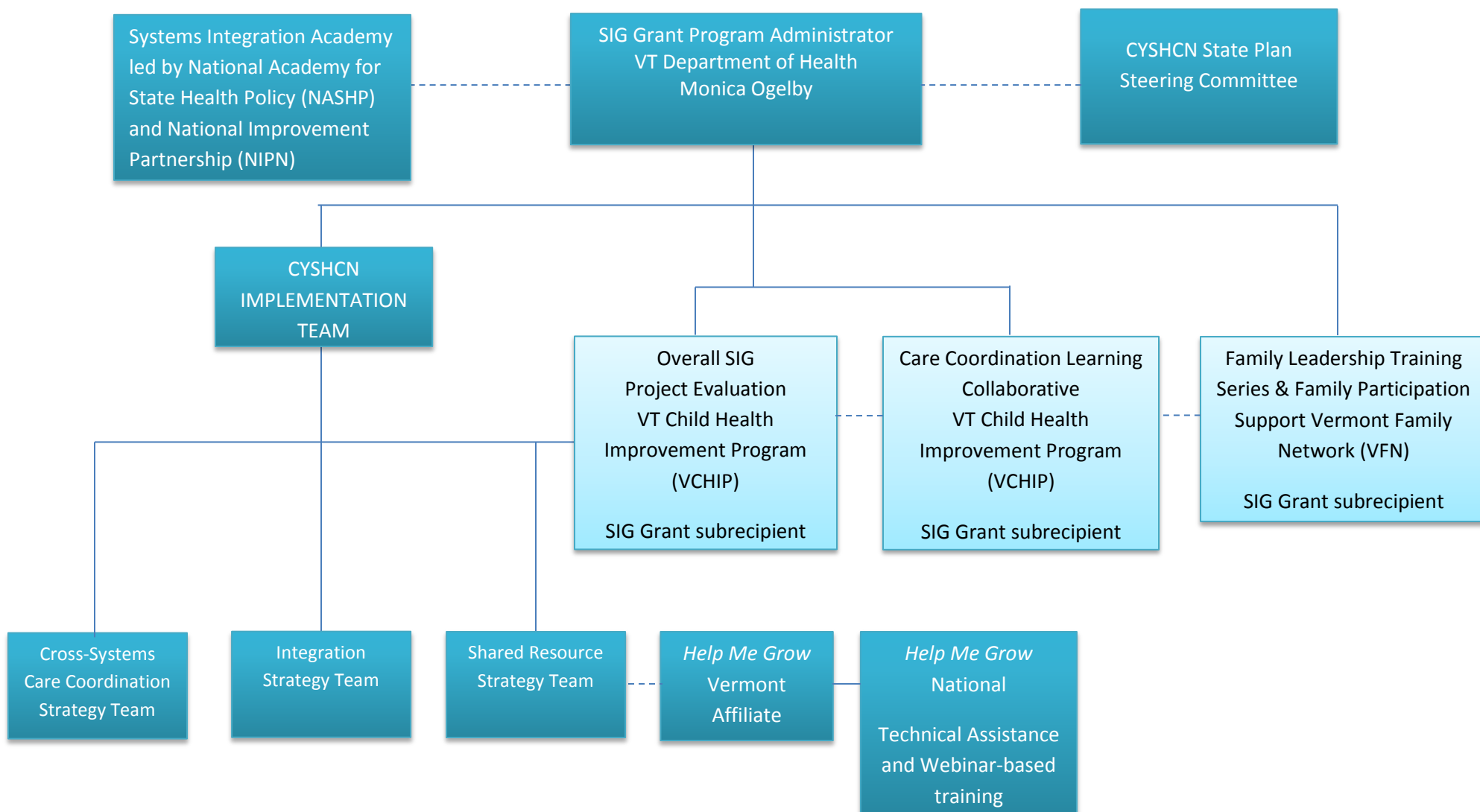


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**ROLE DESCRIPTIONS**

**National Academy for State Health Policy (NASHP)** An independent academy of state health policymakers dedicated to helping states achieve excellence in health policy and practice. A non-profit and non-partisan organization, NASHP provides a forum for constructive work across branches and agencies of state government on critical health issues. NASHP is providing technical assistance for the 12 State Implementation Grant teams through a Systems Integration Academy with a primary focus of supporting a cross-state learning community composed of three separate groups each addressing one of the common cross-state strategies. These groups are convened as Strategy Teams composed of representatives from all twelve states. In the first year, each team will work together on calls and through an online shared GroupSpace to develop common AIM statements and selected measures to address each of three common strategies: Cross-Systems Care Coordination, Integration, and Shared Resource (Help Me Grow) In the following years, Strategy Teams will convene to discuss the various activities states are using to address their common AIM statements.

**National Improvement Partnership Network (NIPN)** The national coordinating center for states' Improvement Partnerships (IP). Together with our member IPs, we accelerate pediatric delivery system transformation through the implementation and dissemination of quality improvement knowledge and innovation.

**State Plan Steering Committee** Key leadership representatives of stakeholder organizations engaged in work across the statewide system of care for CYSHCN. The steering committee will guide the development of a state plan to integrate the system of state wide services in Vermont for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs including the implementation of *Help Me Grow*, a shared telephonic and web-based resource designed to provide support to families related to at-risk children, in Vermont in coordination with the Help Me Grow Leadership Team. Steering Committee meetings will take place biannually with quarterly email updates in between meetings.

**State Implementation Team** Representatives from state agencies and community partners across the system of care that will review progress of the grant project activities on a regular basis and provide input related to statewide inter- and intra-departmental policies and procedures currently in place as well as those that need to be created or changed to improve cohesiveness and coordination of services for the CYSHCN population across the state. The SIG Implementation Team will meet in person monthly with email updates once a month in between face-to-face meetings.